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Ike Urges Vast Aid Plan Financed by Cut in Arms

Calls for Joint Global Action

ABILENE, Kansas. — President Eisenhower proposed yesterday that financial savings from a disarmament plan ultimately agreed upon by East and West should be channeled quickly into a vast international programme for helping the less-developed nations.

He urged every free nation to cooperate in a long-range programme to bring a better life to under-privileged areas.

"The world must learn to work together — or finally it will not work at all," he said in a speech at his boyhood home town, where he took part in ground-breaking ceremonies for the Eisenhower Library.

Favourite Theme

The President repeated his oft-expressed theme that neither the U.S. nor "any other fortunate people" could be indifferent to the welfare of others.

"We cannot today live — either in domestic or international life — with the long-obsolete picture of the factory owner living on a hill-top in isolated riches and splendour, wholly indifferent to the aspirations and just demands of the oppressed multitudes in the plains below," he said.

"Clearly one objective of American foreign policy is and must be to help build a world economy in which each nation finds it possible to earn its own keep and pay its own way, and do so in a manner which brings meaning and fulfilment to the lives of its citizens. Such a policy is crucial to our own prosperity and security; it is vital to the cause of a just and lasting peace.

Highest Aspiration

"No other aspiration dominates my own being so much as this: that the nations of the East and West will find dependable, self-guaranteeing methods to reduce the vast and essentially wasteful expenditures for armaments, so that much of the savings may be used in a comprehensive and effective effort for world improvement."

The President said many people of the world, once dominated and submissive, were now, and would continue to be, involved "in a great ferment, explosive in its potential.

"Everywhere, knowledge and ideas, spread by modern communications, are routing centuries of ignorance and superstition," he said. "Peoples now know that poverty and suppression are neither universal nor inevitable."

(UPI, Reuter)

U.S. 'Gyroscope' Satellite Enters Orbit Around Earth

CAPE CANAVERAL, Florida (UPI). — A 60-ton Juno II blasted a "kitchen sink" satellite into the sky yesterday and the multi-experiment moonlet went into orbit.

The moonlet, which has a life expectancy of 20 years, took 101 minutes to complete its first circuit round the earth.

All four stages of the rocket, combining several U.S. space-age weapons, fired on schedule, jubilant missile men said.

The vehicle, protecting its delicate 91.5 pound satellite with an aerodynamic shroud at the top of its 76-foot length, rose gracefully from its pad in a cradle of flame. It climbed along a steep path under the power of its 150,000 pound thrust booster.

Second Bid

This was Juno II's second attempt to launch a satellite. On July 16 the rocket was deliberately blown up just after launching when it veered off course.

Officially named "Explorer VII," the satellite was immediately dubbed "The Gyroscope" because it looks — and should act — like that instrument.

It is also known as the "Kitchen Sink" because it is loaded with "everything but the kitchen sink" in the way of a number of experimental devices.

It was to begin spinning its tub-shaped nosecone container after launching. This spin action — equivalent to a car wheeel travelling at 60 miles an hour — was designed to keep the payload on an even keel.

Reduce Wobble

Like a gyroscope, much of the weight of the satellite was in the central rim. This shape was determined by previous U.S. satellites which had wobbled slightly as they raced through space.

The latest satellite's orbit should take it 700 miles from earth at its furthest point and 350 miles at its lowest.

Earlier yesterday a U.S. Air Force bomber flying over the Atlantic fired a missile into space towards a point close to America's Explorer VI satellite. It was fired to check the missile's accuracy.

The Air Force said the launching was successful.

(Space Programmes — p.3)

Egyptian-Sudanese Talks 'Progressing'

CAIRO (Reuter). — Talks between Egypt and the Sudan on trade and financial relations and the distribution of the Nile waters were progressing satisfactorily, and the situation was expected to become clear by tomorrow, the authoritative newspaper "Al Ahram" said yesterday.

The talks began on Saturday.

Poles, Turks Still Stymied at U.N.

UNITED NATIONS (Reuter). — The General Assembly balloted a dozen times yesterday in a further vain effort to fill the Security Council seat which Japan will vacate at the end of the year.

Finally, at the proposition of Britain, delegates abandoned their attempts until next Monday.

In the interim, backstage negotiations will go on aimed at finding sufficient backing to assure one candidate of the necessary two-thirds majority of the assembly's 82 votes.

13 on Monday

In 13 ballots on Monday Poland, backed by the Eastern European countries, and Turkey, supported by the NATO countries, remained deadlocked, neither obtaining the necessary majority though Poland was consistently ahead of its rival.

In several ballots yesterday open to all comers, Yugoslavia emerged in contention, though at no stage did it muster more than a handful of votes. The source of Yugoslavia's support could not be gauged because the ballot is secret, but observers said that it could mean an ultimate move to bring in Yugoslavia as a compromise choice.

Not Represented

The Communist nations are not represented in the 11-member Council, except by the Soviet Union, which has a permanent seat there along with the other great powers.

The quest of the Eastern European states to regain membership in the Council is behind Poland's determined bid for election. They have asserted that a 1946 "gentleman's agreement" to reserve a seat for Eastern Europe has been breached by the West, which in turn has answered that the pact was only for that year's elections.

Before yesterday's meeting began the Soviet Union sought to counter the effect of a manoeuvre on Monday by which Poland was chosen for the Economic and Social Council. That election "by no means can or must mean that Poland cannot be simultaneously elected to the Security Council," the Soviet delegation said in a statement.

Nasser 'Slave of Imperialism' Says Mahdawi, Back from China

BAGHDAD. — A top Iraqi official yesterday denounced Gamal Abdul Nasser as "a slave of British and American imperialism which is trying to entrench its influence in Africa and Asia."

The denunciation, one of the strongest Iraqi blasts in recent months against the United Arab Republic, was made by Fadil Abbas Mahdawi, President of the People's Court of Iraq.

He flew to Peking for the 10th anniversary celebrations of the Chinese People's Republic, intending to remain several weeks and go to Russia for medical treatment before returning home.

However, he cut short his visit following last week's assassination attempt on the Prime Minister, General Abdul Karim Kassem, and returned to Baghdad yesterday morning.

Mahdawi was accompanied by Col. Majid Amin, the Military Prosecutor. Foreign Minister Hashem Jawad also returned to Baghdad yesterday, coming from New York, where he headed the Iraqi U.N. delegation.

Referring to the attack in his statement yesterday, Mahwadi said "such a hideous crime" must have been committed by "mad dogs."

He described the attempt as a "conspiracy" and said: "I repeat that this conspiracy was no small affair. It was an extensive conspiracy and its secrets are bound to be revealed. Its curtain will lift and then a just judgment will have its last word."

(Cairo Radio yesterday said the recent events in Baghdad were the results of a Communist plot to take over the country.

("We believe," a home service broadcast said, "that the situation prevailing in Iraq today has come as a result of deviation and Communist infiltration. Terror and corruption has spread in the Iraqi Republic.")

Kassem was reported by official medical bulletins yesterday to be making steady progress towards a complete recovery.

His left shoulder was still in a cast. It was shattered by two of the three bullets which struck him.

8 Die in Tunisia For Anti-Bourguiba Plot

TUNIS (Reuter). — Eight men, sentenced to death on October 3 by the Tunisian High Court for taking part in a plot to murder President Habib Bourguiba, were executed here yesterday.

Among them was Salah Nadjar, close associate of Salah Ben Youssef, former Secretary-General of the Neo-Destour Party and bitter opponent of President Bourguiba.

Ben Youssef fled Tunisia and is now living in Cairo.

Teachers Probe Group to Cabinet

POST Political Reporter

The final composition of the special committee which is to examine the salary and working conditions of teachers is to be laid before the Cabinet today by the Minister of Education and Culture, Mr. Zalman Aranne.

The establishment of the committee was decided upon by the Cabinet on September 27. It is to study primarily the position of secondary school teachers.

The setting up of such a committee was one of the demands of the independent Secondary Teachers' Organization, and was supported also by the Secretary of the Histadrut Teachers' Association.

The Cabinet is also expected today to rescind its decision of September 20 requesting the Knesset Speaker to convene a special session of the House before the elections to complete the second and third readings of five draft laws. Three of these bills relate to the Israel Land Law, but the Knesset Finance Committee has completed its work on only one of them.

The Cabinet is holding its weekly meeting today, instead of last Sunday, on account of Yom Kippur.

(Teachers' Next Move—P.3, Col.2)

More 'Israel Spies' Held in Beirut

The Arab News Agency yesterday reported that a second Israel espionage network has been discovered in Beirut. The agency on Monday reported that nine Lebanese, including two Jews, have gone on trial as Israel spies.

Yesterday's report said that the second ring's leader, Mohammed Nur e-Din Silzali, committed suicide in Beirut jail on Monday night. He is said to have done so because he has relatives in other Arab countries working for Israel and his testimony would have incriminated them.

The news agency said Silzali was the Israel authorities' contact man with the network's members in Beirut and that he had several times received instructions from Mr. Ben-Gurion in person.

It adds that the confessions of several of the arrested persons have implicated a number of highly-placed Beirut personalities.

Cyprus Presidential Elections Set

NICOSIA (Reuter). — Elections for a President and Vice-President of the new Cyprus Republic will be held on December 13, Government House announced here yesterday.

Meanwhile Greek Cypriot mayors of the principal towns in Cyprus met here and issued a vigorous protest against the new law enacted on Monday empowering Turkish municipal committees to collect revenue from Turkish Cypriot inhabitants.

They described the law as "a flagrant violation of the Zurich and London agreements" and sent a telegram to Sir Hugh demanding the immediate abrogation of the "illegal act."

In the telegram the mayors said the new law showed "scandalous partiality" towards the Turks and gave protection to "Turkish illegalities and arson against Greeks."

They added that the Zurich and London agreements provided that any legislation relevant to matters included in the agreements should be the exclusive responsibility of the future house of representatives.

£ 29m. for Maltese Development Plan

VALLETTA, Malta (Reuter). The British Government has earmarked £29m. for capital developments in Malta under a five-year development plan published here yesterday.

This includes £6m. for the conversion of the naval dockyard to a commercial ship repairing yard.

The plan would diversify the economy of the island, shifting the emphasis from defence to industry. It provides for development of Valletta harbour, with mechanical handling for general cargoes and a deep-water quay. It also covers development of the tourist and hotel trade, and a wide range of economic and social services, including housing, education, water and road development.

The troubles of the island, with its population of 300,000, stem from the changing pattern of defence which has robbed the harbour and dockyard of their strategic importance.

Interpol Won't Act on Eichmann

Jerusalem Post Correspondent

PARIS. — Interpol would reject any demand for action to apprehend Adolph Eichmann, head of the Jewish extermination programme under Hitler, now reported to be hiding out in Kuwait.

A spokesman for the world headquarters of the International Police organization told your correspondent that the organization does not concern itself with political crimes and that war criminals are included in this category despite the publication by the World War II allies of a list of wanted war criminals.

The spokesman said Interpol could only advise Israel to apply to the British police in view of the close relations between Britain and Kuwait.

It seems that Interpol is unwilling and unable to enter into conflict with the Arab states and regards the mass murderer as a political criminal practically immune from the danger of extradition.

Information reaching Israel from the Public Prosecutor of Baden-Wuertenberg said Eichmann was employed by an oil company in Kuwait.

UPI quoted the State Attorney of the West German State of Hesse, Hans Krueger, as saying that investigations into Eichmann's liquidation of Jews have been completed and if ever he is extradicted to Germany, "charges can be drawn up against him at any time."

Reuter reports an official of the Central West German Office for the Investigation of War Crimes and Crimes committed under the Nazi Regime, as saying there had been many rumours in recent years on the former S.S. leader's whereabouts.

It was assumed that Eichmann, originator of the "Programme for the Final Solution of the Jewish Problem" was living in the Middle East but the exact place was not known, the official said.

S. African Leader To Visit Ghana

UNITED NATIONS (Reuter). — Mr. Eric Louw, South African External Affairs Minister, confirmed yesterday that he is going to Ghana next year at the invitation of its Prime Minister, Dr. Kwame Nkrumah.

The South African Government's decision to accept the invitation is seen in diplomatic circles here as a significant move which would redound to the credit of both nations at a time when the General Assembly is again preparing to debate South Africa's racial policies.

CHEAPER FLIGHTS IN MIDDLE EAST

HONOLULU (Reuter). — A wide range of cheap holiday fares is to be introduced on air services within Europe and the Middle East and between those two areas to stimulate mass travel. This was decided yesterday by the International Air Transport Association.

The IATA traffic committee meeting here could not agree on reducing rates elsewhere.

Despite rising costs, the airlines agreed that the present low-fare services on international routes in the Western hemisphere should remain unchanged and that some first-class fares should bear only a nominal increase.

Cross-Country Dash Ends In Capture of Beduin Killers

By H. BEN ADI
Jerusalem Post Reporter

BEERSHEBA. — A 20-year-old Beduin of the El Huzeil tribe was stabbed to death in kibbutz Beit Kama, about 25 kms. north of Beersheba, on Tuesday afternoon, after being cornered by four members of another Beduin tribe at the end of a dramatic cross-country taxi chase.

The victim, Ibrahim Halil Yussef el Fakir, died on the spot. The four alleged assailants, one of them a small boy of about 12, were later apprehended by members of the kibbutz who gave chase.

The murder is believed to have been a vengeance killing. The assailants, all members of a family belonging to the Abu Goayin tribe, were reportedly seeking revenge after el Fakir had allegedly run away with the wife of one of them.

El Fakir had earlier boarded a taxi at Givat Brenner, in which there were five other passengers, including two children. Near Kiryat Gat another taxi, in which the four Abu Goayin Beduin were travelling, drew level with the first vehicle, and one of the four called out to the driver of the first cab to stop.

The first taxi continued, however, and drove into kibbutz Beit Kama to drop some passengers. The second taxi immediately drew up outside the settlement and the four Beduin jumped out and dashed over to the other cab. Two of them held down the driver, Nissim Ben Yakar, of Tel Aviv, and pulled out the ignotion key to prevent the car from being driven off. The other two Beduin then piled into the back of the vehicle with daggers drawn and set on el Fakir. Another passenger in the cab, Dan Shmulevitch, from Dimona, lashed out at one of the assailants, but the other one stabbed el Fakir several times about the body.

The attackers then ran

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France Offers Safe-Conduct To Rebel Chiefs for Truce Parley

Anti-Jewish Outbursts Reported Near Moscow

NEW YORK (INA). — "The N.Y. Times" yesterday quoted an American traveller lately returned from the Soviet Union as saying that a synagogue and the cottage of the caretaker at a Jewish cemetery in Malakhovka, a town near Moscow, were set afire early in the morning of October 4, the second day of Rosh Hashana. Anti-Semitic leaflets were found nearby.

Firemen saved the structure of the synagogue, a small wooden building seating 300 worshippers. The cottage was destroyed and the wife of the caretaker, a Jewess of 70, was killed.

Malakhovka is in an area forbidden to foreign diplomats and correspondents. The American business man, however, was able to go there and corroborated the facts reported to the Jewish community in Moscow. The incidents were not reported in the Soviet press.

Emergency repairs were made on the synagogue and services were held there the same day.

Leaflets found in the vicinity accused Jews of being disloyal to the Soviet Union. They were headed: "Death to the Jews — save the Revolution."

Several Incidents

The fires were the latest of several recent anti-Jewish incidents at Malakhovka, according to the American. Stones have been thrown at the synagogue, the Ark of the Law has been defaced and some of the graves in the cemetery have been desecrated.

Malakhovka, situated 25 kilometres southeast of Moscow on the Ryazan railroad, has a population of about 30,000 including 3,000 Jews. The synagogue there is one of four in the Moscow area. It does not have a regular rabbi, but it does have a cantor. Members of the community seemed more concerned with the implications of the mounting anti-Jewish manifestations than with the two New Year incidents themselves. They fear the incidents presage an organized attempt to suppress the practice of their religion.

CHINESE 'GUSH' OVER INDIANS

NEW DELHI (Reuter). — The Delhi newspaper "Hindustan Times" reported yesterday that Chinese officials in Peking and Lhasa had recently started showing "almost gushing friendliness" to Indian diplomatic staff.

"Marked courtesy and almost spontaneous warmth" were said to have been shown to the Indian Ambassador in Peking during the celebrations of the 10th anniversary of the Chinese Revolution, the newspaper's political correspondent reported.

In Lhasa, guards in front of the Indian Consulate-General had been removed and Indian officials "are not encountering the kind of difficulties which hampered them in the past," he added. Traders, however, were still meeting with restrictions.

This report of a sudden Chinese shift of attitude to Indians follows an earlier Indian press report from Hongkong that the Chinese authorities were likely gradually to "soften" their attitude following recent talks between an Indian Communist party delegation and Chinese leaders in Peking.

Paris Opposing Early 'Summit'

By ISRAEL NEUMANN
Jerusalem Post Correspondent

PARIS. — French opposition to the British demand for the early convening of a summit conference has clearly stiffened during the past few days. While, under the influence of the Khrushchev-Eisenhower talks, France seemed eager to take part in a Big Four meeting, the Quai d'Orsay is now stressing the need for consultations among the Allies and French unwillingness to participate unless a fair chance of success is achieved in advance.

A Quai d'Orsay spokesman yesterday expressed opposition to the positions of Mr. Khrushchev and Mr. Macmillan who claim that personal contact between the world leaders is useful in itself and that a series of conferences is desirable even without spectacular agreement being reached.

This official identification of Soviet and British thinking is a strong hint of the seriousness of French opposition to British pressure to convene a summit meeting within the next few months.

Adenauer Sure He Can 'Make Peace' in London

BAD GODESBERG, West Germany (Reuter). — Chancellor Konrad Adenauer said yesterday that he was "100 per cent convinced" that existing differences with Britain could be dealt with when he visits London.

He also said a summit conference seemed relatively near, and big preparations for this were needed.

Sources close to the Chancellor said his visit to Britain might take place before December — the time originally planned — in view of the possibility of a summit meeting in December. NATO is also meeting on December 15.

Answering questions at a Bonn Foreign Press Association lunch here, Adenauer said West Germany was ready to come nearer to Britain on the economic plane as far as this was possible without harming the political aim of the six-nation European Economic Community.

For West Germany to join a zone as provided for in the Rapacki Plan would mean the end of NATO, he said.

No French Move To Renew U.A.R. Ties

PARIS. — France will not consider the possibility of renewing diplomatic relations with Cairo until Anglo-U.A.R. relations are restored, it is reliably learned.

Despite reports of Franco-Egyptian contacts, there will be no move in this respect until an Anglo-Egyptian agreement is reached. Quay d'Orsay circles deem this to be still very remote.

But No Political Talks—Debre

PARIS. — The French Government submitted Gen. de Gaulle's Algerian peace plan to a vote of confidence in the National Assembly yesterday. At the same time, Prime Minister Michel Debre, who announced the decision, let it be known that the Algerian rebel leaders are still welcome to come to Paris to discuss a cease-fire, and will be free to leave if talks fail.

M. Debre made it clear that talks with insurgent leaders would be limited to a military cease-fire, though he said the Government would specify guarantees "for the future exercise of freedom."

"To go outside this indispensable but narrow framework would be to prejudge the essential factor — the decision of the citizens," he said.

Abbas Interview

Before the opening of the Assembly session, an interview with the rebel leader, Ferhat Abbas, which appeared in the French-language weekly "Jours de France," published in Tunis, caused a flurry of buying on the Paris stock exchange.

In the interview, which was immediately denied by Ferhat Abbas on his arrival in Tangier yesterday, the "Prime Minister" of the insurgent regime was reported to have said that after Gen. de Gaulle's acceptance of the principle of self-determination for Algeria, there were no further obstacles to a meeting between them.

Abbas was quoted as saying that he was willing to head a rebel delegation to Paris to discuss a cease-fire, provided such a visit would not be regarded as a surrender and that the French Government assure safe conduct for the delegation if the talks should fail.

'Deny Everything'

In Tangier Abbas said: "I deny everything. We shall speak about it in Rabat." He is on his way to the Moroccan capital to confer with King Mohammed who, along with President Bourguiba, is reported to be one of the middlemen between the insurgent National Liberation Front (FLN) and the French Government.

Abbas specifically denied giving any interview, but "Jours de France" insisted that the interview it published was "authentic in letter and in spirit," and added it did not intend to enter into a war of communiques with Abbas.

M. Debre's speech in the General Assembly took one hour and 15 minutes. It covered Algeria, foreign policy and the budget, but nearly half of it was devoted to the plan to end the five-year Algerian war.

Parliamentary observers said he was sure of support of four-fifths of the Assembly when the vote comes up, probably tomorrow night.

Most of the Deputies warmly applauded the 10,000 word speech. The Communists, who number only 10 in the 582-man Assembly, were silent.

No Boos

There were no boos, but a hard core of about 35 deputies from Algeria stayed away from the chamber, boycotting the speech.

The Assembly adjourned immediately after the Premier stopped speaking. It will reconvene today to resume the debate.

The meaning of the de Gaulle declaration, he said, was that there would be a "return to law" in place of violence.

Speaking of the choice of secession, Francisation, or association, he said "Secession would lead the Algerians towards dictatorship... this would be the negation of law. Maintenance of close union with France is the first condition of a free and great future."

Political Aspect

He continued: "The return to law is not and cannot be the recognition of a so-called Algerian sovereignty... the return to law does not mean political negotiation with the leaders of the rebellion.

"It is not possible for us to accept the Western Mediterranean becoming a threatening sea, uncovering a new frontier for France in the south," the Premier declared. "It is not possible to consider that the efforts of France to draw from the Sahara the riches destined to transform our economy should tomorrow be threatened."

17 Hurt by Bomb In Algiers Station

ALGIERS (Reuter).—A bomb left in an abandoned suitcase exploded in Algiers railway station yesterday, injuring 17 persons, police said.

A second bomb, hidden in a package, was discovered in the same room. A demolition squad blew it up.

Israelis to Vote At 2,380 Polling Stations

The Central Elections Committee, at a meeting in Tel Aviv, on Tuesday, approved the location of 2,380 polling stations throughout the country for the forthcoming elections. These are apart from the polling stations to be set up to serve military units.

Of the total, only five per cent of the stations will be located in rented premises. The rest will be established in public places, such as government and municipal buildings or premises belonging to other public bodies.

RUSSIANS TO PLAN EUPHRATES BRIDGES

Six bridge-building experts arrived in Damascus from Russia on Monday night to spend one month planning several large bridges for the Euphrates, ANA reports.

Resolution on Tibet At U.N. Assembly

UNITED NATIONS (Reuter). — Ireland and Malaya yesterday tabled a resolution to have the General Assembly call for "respect for the fundamental human rights of the Tibetan people and for their distinctive cultural and religious life."

Their draft resolution would have the Assembly express its grave concern at reports that the fundamental rights and freedoms of the people of Tibet had been "forcibly denied," and deplore the effect of these events in "increasing international tension and embittering the relations between peoples at a time when earnest and positive efforts" were being made by responsible leaders to reduce tension and improve relations.

A Memorial Meeting for

DANNY BRISKER ז"ל

will be held in Alonei Yitzhak on Thursday, October 15, 1959, at 6.30 p.m.

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General Zionists Organization — CENTRE PARTY

Social & Personal

President Izhak Ben-Zvi on Tuesday received the Foreign Minister, Mrs. Golda Meir.

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A youth group from the Zionist Federation of Great Britain and Ireland now visiting the country called at the Jerusalem Municipality on Tuesday and was received by the Deputy-Mayor, Dr. P.I. Jacobi. Dr. Jacobi also received a group of Hadassah women from Brooklyn, N.Y.

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Dr. M. Weinreb, Clinical Lecturer in Dental Histology at the Hebrew University-Hadassah Medical School, has been elected a member of the American Academy of Implant Dentures.

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Mr. Jules Vaska, of Unesco, Paris, visited the Hebrew University yesterday and was received by Dr. Z. Adar, Director of the School of Education.

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Mr. and Mrs. Israel Melamede, Tel Aviv, have returned from a two-month visit abroad.

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Mr. Moshe Rosetti, the Knesset Clerk, will address the Tel Aviv Branch of the Hitahdut Olei Britannia on "A Trip to Poland," at 8.30 this evening at the Keren Hayesod Hall, 53a Rehov Hayarkon, Tel Aviv.

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Dr. M. A. Jaswon of Imperial College, London, will lecture on "Imperfections in Crystals," at 6 p.m. today, in the Chemistry Building, the University campus.

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The Jerusalem Rotary Club will be addressed at 1.15 p.m. today by Reverend James W. Smith who will speak on "The Exodus of a Baptist."

Prof. K. Sitte of the Haifa Technion, will speak to the Haifa Rotary Club on "Moscow Impressions," at the Appinger Hotel at 1 p.m. today.

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MARRIAGE

Abraham Mayon and Zita Weiss nee Friedmann, married. Mt. Carmel, October 13, 1959.

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MEMORIAL SERVICE

A plaque in memory of Seren Yair Pelled, who was murdered while on duty in the Negev on September 7, will be unveiled today on the new Rosh Zohar road, which was built by the Army. Seren Pelled was the scout who discovered the trail along which the new road was laid, leading towards Ein Geddi.

DRINK. — The "Wets" won a victory over the "Drys" in Norway on Monday as voters in 12 prohibitionist towns elected to bring back the bottle. In six other towns, already "wet," the voters decided to keep them that way.



10,000 Mourners attended the funeral in Jerusalem yesterday of Rabbi J. Z. Soloveitchik, who died at the *Kol Nidre* service.

Photo by Goldshmidt

Sage of Brisk Buried in J'lem

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Crowds estimated by police at 10,000 *kaftan*-garbed Jews crammed Jerusalem's narrow alleys for the funeral on Tuesday of Rabbi J. Z. Soloveitchik, the Sage of Brisk, and spiritual leader of Agudat Yisrael.

Rabbi Soloveitchik, 72, died Sunday evening during the *Kol Nidre* service held at his home.

The body was borne on a stretcher from his home in the Geula Quarter to the Givat Shaul cemetery. With traffic diverted from the route, the procession wound its way through the streets for some two hours.

Present at the funeral were Chief Rabbi Nissim, Rabbi Sorotzkin chairman of the Council of Sages, Agudat Yisrael Members of Knesset, and heads of *yeshivot*. All along the route, *yeshiva* students formed a cordon by linking hands so as to ease the crush on the funeral cortege.

The *Rebbe* of Gur, Rabbi Alter, accompanied by a disciple holding an umbrella over his head against the sun, went on ahead and joined the procession midway from a side street where he had been waiting with his retinue.

The Minister for Religious Affairs, Rabbi Y. M. Toledano, was represented at the funeral by Rabbi Zvi Klein. Rabbi Toledano was unable to attend in person due to fatigue as a result of the Yom Kippur fast, the Ministry stated.

Before the funeral set out, a loudspeaker announced that persons who had not bathed in a ritual bath the same day and who were not members of *yeshivot* would not be permitted to touch the stretcher bearing the deceased.

No eulogies were delivered at the graveside by request of the bereaved family.

12% of East German M.P.'s are Ex-Nazis

PARIS (INA). — Twelve per cent of the members of the present East German parliament are former Nazis, according to statistics revealed here by the well-informed Bulletin of the Association for International Political Studies and Information.

In the parliament elected in East Germany last November, 47 of the 400 deputies were former Nazi party members as compared to 29 Nazis who sat in the East German 1954 parliament. One of the former Nazis, Heinrich Holman, is Vice-President of the East German Chamber; and five of the deputies were S.S. men. Furthermore, according to the Bulletin a number of old-time Nazis hold offices in East Germany's central administration and in the Communist Party.

These include Ernst Grossman, a former S.S. man who is now a member of the Communist Party Central Committee; Gunther Fachmin, Vice-Minister of Public Health; Horst Hetzer, Chief Judge of East Germany's Supreme Tribunal; Vice-Minister of Agriculture Erich Rubensan, and at least a dozen others.

Poll of German Youth Shows Nazi Influence

FRANKFURT (INA). — The German Institute of Social Research has released the results of a nation-wide poll of West German youth indicating that the youth are still influenced to a considerable degree by Nazi ideology.

A majority replied in the affirmative when asked if they considered the German nation superior to other nations. Twenty-five per cent replied "yes," 33 per cent "yes" with qualifications and 42 per cent said "no."

To the question as to whether Hitler would have been Germany's greatest man had there been no war, 42 per cent said "yes," 36 per cent said "no," the remainder giving indefinite replies.

An older group—in the 30- to 44-year bracket — were asked the same question. Fifty-five per cent said "yes," 35 per cent said "no," and the remainder said they did not know.

The youth group interviewed was in the 18- to 29-year category.

Another question asked whether it was better for Germany to have Jewish citizens. Forty per cent said Germany should, 24 per cent said it should not, and the rest did not know or had no opinion.

Only Two Stops to the Moon

MOSCOW (Reuter). — A Soviet astronautics expert on Monday predicted that the first space travellers would have to change vehicles twice before reaching their destination.

The expert, Academician Ari Sternfeld, told TASS in an interview that the spacemen would probably use small rockets to take them from the earth to a large interplanetary station. This station would convey them close to the destination, when the astronauts would use another small rocket for landing.

He said his three-stage method might be used for landing space travellers on the moon.

"Orbital vehicles — interplanetary stations such as the one which ... rounded the moon but several times larger — will regularly cruise in the depths of the universe, passing periodically in the vicinity of the earth," Sternfeld said.

Spacemen on an interplanetary station with a properly planned orbit would be able to approach the moon 13 or 14 times a year, the Academician said, with the moon in a different phase each time.

"Every two weeks the space travellers will be able to descend from the orbital ship to earth," he told the Tass correspondent. "At the same time various supplies, such as food, will be delivered to the space vehicle.

Stabilized Orbit

Mr. Sternfeld said it was possible to stabilize the orbit of an interplanetary station by means of a miniature rocket engine to prevent collisions with the moon as a result of distortion of the elliptic trajectory caused by lunar gravitation and other factors.

Photographs of Russia's future space pioneers — men and dogs — complete with gravity suits and helmets, are published in the latest issues of the illustrated magazines, "Ogonyok" and "Soviet Union."

The dogs "Misha" and "Gipsy" and the men Alexei Grachev and Alexei Belonev are shown experiencing the hazards of simulated space flights in a decompression chamber and centrifuges.

While Soviet scientists continue to insist that manned space flight is impossible in the immediate future, the photographs and accompanying articles reveal to the Russian reader that some intensive preparations are already under way.

One of the photographs shows a spaceman holding a glass of water which is "exploding" upwards as pressure drops. A graph below explains that the man felt little effect on the functions of his heart and lungs.

An "Ogonyok" reporter was shown a dog undergoing a similar experiment without a spacesuit. The animal appeared to swell up like a rubber toy as its skin separated from its body.

The reporter said he was astonished when the dog, on being let out of the pressure chamber, began eating a slice of sausage as if nothing had happened. Scientists explained that there were no ill effects if the experiment was not prolonged.

According to "Soviet Union," scientists believe a man would be able to support a tenfold increase in his body weight as a rocket blasted off, but they admit that the effects of weightlessness are not fully known.

Another scientist, Dr. Vsevold Fednysky, suggested that the moon might be egg-shaped, a "triaxial ellipsoid," elongated along its equator in the direction of the earth.

Writing in "Pravda," he said the trajectory of the latest Russian moon rocket, now streaking back towards earth, would help make it clear exactly what shape the moon was.

He also said the success of the rocket's radio equipment, which has kept Soviet scientists in contact despite the enormous distance, indicated that it was possible to send to the moon automatic equipment guided from the earth.

U.S. Plans to 'Shoot' Man Three Times Round the Globe

LANGLEY RESEARCH CENTRE, Virginia (Reuter). — The U.S. yesterday disclosed plans for a satellite with a man aboard to zoom around the earth three times at about 18,000 miles an hour

Scientists hope the Mercury satellite, travelling at an altitude of 100 miles, will land off the Bahamas, in the Atlantic, some 4-1/2 hours after it is launched from the Cape Canaveral testing range, in Florida.

The Langley Research Centre of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (Nasa) announced that the satellite is expected to cross South Africa, Australia and a narrow southern strip of the U.S.

The first man to make the historic flight will be chosen by the toss of a coin from among a group of "Mercury astronauts."

Preliminary Flights

Captain Leroy Cooper, one of the astronauts, told reporters here that there will be preliminary sub-orbital flights by the astronauts next spring. They will be carried by Redstone rockets over relatively short distances.

An experimental model of the Mercury capsule was launched by a Big Joe rocket on September 9, to an altitude of 100 miles and recovered by a destroyer eight hours later, several hundred miles down the Atlantic missile range.

Nasa officials disclosed that the agency will pay a $2,500 reward for the recovery of a Mercury capsule.

STRIKE. — The Writers Guild of America — trade unionists whose wages range from a minimum of $350 to as much as $5,000 a week — have gone on strike against Hollywood's independent film producers. They want six per cent of the gross from films sold to television.

Capital had Coldest Summer in 84 Years

The average temperature for the three months from July to September this year in Jerusalem was the lowest for that period since 1875, the Meteorological Service announced.

It added that while rainfall in September was not an unusual phenomenon, the heaviest rainfall ever to be recorded in this month fell this year in Galilee with some stations in the Carmel regions recording up to 70 mm. for the month.

Church Foundations Set for 1960

By CHRIS ELIOU,
Jerusalem Post Reporter

The foundations for the new $3m. Basilica of the Annunciation in Nazareth will be dug early in the spring of 1960, Dr. S. Colbi, of the Christian Affairs Division in the Ministry for Religious Affairs in Jerusalem, told *The Jerusalem Post* on Tuesday.

Dr. Colbi announced this after returning from a tour of Galilee. The Basilica which will take more than two years to build will be the largest in Israel and one of the biggest in the Middle East.

More than 40 Nazareth Arab workers are now clearing debris and carefully collecting and sorting out archaeological remains found during the clearance work, Dr. Colbi said. Franciscan father Benedetto Antonucci is at present supervising the work at the site. Professor B. Bargatti, the Franciscan archaeology specialist, crosses into Israel from the Old City from time to time to supervise the work.

Some of the remains date back to Byzantine times and the period of the Crusades.

The finds will be housed in an underground chamber of the two-storey church.

Dr. Colbi said that the Italian architect, Professor Giovanni Muzzio, of Milan University, is expected to arrive in Israel next month to choose an Israel contractor. The contract will most likely be given to Solel Boneh.

Dr. Colbi said Galilee stone would be used although some marble and bronze would be imported from Italy. Dr. Colbi said the Ministry for Religious Affairs will also offer every possible assistance to speed up the work.

The new church will be the fourth on this site which contains the pillar where, according to tradition, the Archangel Gabriel announced to the Virgin Mary that she would conceive.

The new Basilica will be about 52 metres high and 70 metres long. Jerusalem's Y.M.C.A. is 51 metres high.

Chess Tourney Starts Tonight

TEL AVIV.—Sixteen players from all parts of the country will fight out this year's national chess championships at the Hadugma School here beginning tonight. The 15-round championships will continue until November 1, and play will start at 6 p.m. every evening.

The reigning champion, Y. Porath, will defend his title, and toughest opposition is anticipated from Erno Gereben, an international master from Hungary, who immigrated here from Switzerland two weeks ago. He now lives in Nahariya.

Strongest of the local challengers appear to be Y. Aloni and M. Czerniak, with the younger players Emanuel Guti, 19, and Rudy Blumenfeld expected to feature prominently.

Record Entry For Olympic Games

ROME (UPI). — Tentative national entries in the 1960 Summer Olympics — with more than 10 months to go before the start of the Games — have risen to a record-breaking 76, organizers said here.

If all nations tentatively entered compete, this would be nine more than at Melbourne in 1956 and seven more than the previous record of 69 at Helsinki in 1952. Only one country — El Salvador — out of 97 entitled to compete has sent definite word that it is not participating.

Of the 76 nations entered, 67 intend to compete in track and field, 49 in boxing, 48 in swimming, 45 in shooting, 43 in cycling, 42 in yachting, 41 in weight-lifting, 39 in basketball, 37 each in fencing, soccer and wrestling, 32 in rowing, 31 in gymnastics, 30 in waterpolo, 28 each in horse events and field hockey, 26 in canoeing and 23 in modern pentathlon.

Paolo Puci Sets New Swim Record

BEIRUT (Reuter). — The record of 58.9 secs. for 100 metres freestyle was beaten in the second heat of the swimming events in the Mediterranean Games here Monday when the Italian, Paolo Puci, recorded the fastest time of 57.4 secs.

Angel Gozalo, 51-year-old Spaniard who was champion in 1955, won the .22 calibre shooting contest. Shooting six rounds over 50 metres he scored 552 points out of a possible 600. Hubert Serge, of France, was second, with 531, and Edwardo Delorenzo, Yugoslavia, was third, with 528.

J. Cuk, of Yugoslavia, won the .22 calibre rifle shooting event with a score of 342, out of a possible 400. G. Wahler, of France, was second, with 340, and N Stovanovic, of Yugoslavia, was third, with 337.

Italy scored two wins over Lebanon in first round football and volleyball matches. They won at football, 2-0, and the volleyball, 3-0.

U.S. FOOTBALL

Pittsburgh 12, Duke 0; Boston College 39, Villanova 6; Delaware 26, Lafayette 8; Rhode Island 20, Brandeis 0; Franklin & Marshal 28, Washington & Lee 14; Wake Forest 10, Maryland 7; Holy Cross 8, Dayton 0; Penn St. 17, Army 11; Rutgers 15, Colgate 12; Yale 14, Columbia 0; Muhlenberg 14, Temple 13; Cornell 20, Harvard 16; Amherst 28, Bowdoin 12; Dartmouth 0, Brown 0; Georgia Tech 14, Tennessee 7; Clemson 23, North Carolina St. 0; Northwestern 6, Minnesota 0; Illinois 9, Ohio State 0; Michigan 18, Oregon St. 7.

REFUGEE. — A 30-year-old Polish flight lieutenant, his wife and three-year-old daughter flew to Bornholm Island, Denmark, in an old biplane during Monday night and asked for political asylum.

Tel Aviv Stock Market

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Pop Loan 1949/b	91½
6% Comp Loan 48/67	77
Pal Bearer Bds Ser	100½
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5½% Tavel Dollar	102
6% Reg sterling "A" a)	110
Del Loan Bonds 6½% f)	107½
5½% Del Bonds f)	108
5½ Del Bonds g)	99½
4% Loc Debs f)	105½
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ditto g)	108½
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ditto g)	99½
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60/69 a f) registered	105½
Agroth 6½% Deb. 58/65	105
Rassco 6½% Deb 58/64	
Class "A" f)	109½
Class "B" g)	106½
Rassco 6% pref. ord sh. b)	100½
Bk. Leumi ord. sh.	315
Bearer Savings Cert. II'68	98½
Bk. Leumi Investment	
Ord. sh. "B" reg d)	188
Ata ord "B" sh.	147
"Kurdaneh" ord "B"	145½
9% con. debt 59/68	131½
Pal. Cold. St. (IL10.-) reg.	190
American-Isr. Paper Mills	
Ord. "B"	280
Sizur 4% debs. 56/65 reg	94
Nir 5% pref sh.	90
Gen. Mortg. Bk. ord. sh. d)	147
6½% Debs. 61/69 f)	107
I.L.D.C. ord. sh. reg.	144½
Afr. Pal. Inv. ord sh. reg.	124
Moller ord. sh. reg.	1330
Pal.Brewery8%con.debs. reg	80½
AssisRejarano ord. "B" sh. reg	93½
Nesher 6% debs. "A" 55/64	120
Pal. Potash "A" ord sh	102
Dead Sea Works	354½
Delek ord sh. "C"	182
Jordan Exploration Co.	
Ord "A" sh. reg	77
Elleron Investment Corp. Ltd.	
Ord. Shares (reg.)	207
U.U.S. — Rassco Ltd.	
6½ debs. 61/68 (bearer) 1	107½
Housing Loan, "A" 59/69	
4½% (bearer) f)	106
Housing Loan, "C" 60/69	
6% reg. g)	97½
Clifco Ltd.	
6% Debs. 61/64 (bearer) c)	100½

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ORNA: Say One for Me
ORION: Violent Playground.
OR-GIL: Evil that is Eve.
RON: Back to Bataan.
SEMADAR: Napoleon.
ZION: The Devil's Hairpin.
TEL OR: Les tricheurs (The Cheats).
EDISON: Passeport pour la honte.
STUDIO: Serenade.

TEL AVIV
4, 7.15, 9.15

ALLENBY: Ball im Savoy.
ARMON DAVID: What Lola Wants (Damn Yankees).
CHEN: Some Like It Hot.
EDEN: Laha el Wafa.
ESTHER: Cat on a Hot Tin Roof.
GAN RENA: The Day of the Bad Man.
GAT: Geständnis unter 4 Augen.
MAXIM: Carry On Sergeant.
MIGDALOR: I Soliti Ignoti (We Are Thieves).
MOGRABI: Anatomy of a Murder.
OPHIR: Tempest.
PEER: The Man of Straw.
SHDEROTH: Fire Down Below.
TAMAR: Pork Chop Hill.
TCHELET: Merry Andrew.
TEL AVIV: These Thousand Hills. 4, 7.15, 9.30.
YARON: Imitation of Life.
ZAFON: Der träumende Mund (Dreaming Lips).
ZAMIR: Steel Bayonet.

HAIFA
4, 6.45, 9

MORIAH: Das Haut Hin (The Merry Student).
PEER: Jacobowsky and the Colonel.
MIRON: Mogli Pericolose (How Nice to be a Bachelor).
ATZMON: The Naked and the Dead.
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460, 392, 422.5 & 33.3 M.

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Mt. Cana'an	53	11	*22	21
Tiberias	43	19	29	30
Haifa Port	56	18	26	25
Natanya	58	16	26	25
Tel Aviv Kirya	58	16	25	25
Tel Aviv Port	64	17	25	25
Lydda Airport	54	13	26	26
Jerusalem	46	16	22	21
Beersheba	63	11	26	27
Eilat	26	18	32	32

*A: Humidity at 5 p.m. B) Minimum temp. C) Maximum yesterday. D) Maximum temp. expected today

ARRIVALS

The Swedish Ambassador and Mrs. Lundborg from home leave (by T.W.A.).

Mr. Yeheshua Shai, Consul-General in Istanbul, for a month's home leave before taking up his new post as Ambassador to Guatemala.

Dr. Giora Josephthal, Mapai Secretary-General (in the s.s. Theodor Herzl).

Mr. Wolff Cohen, President of Warner Brothers, for a short visit (by B.E.A.).

Messrs. W.L. Trimble and P. Nemeth, of T.W.A., for a short visit on business matters (by T.W.A.).

DEPARTURES

Mr. Ariel Ariely, Deputy Director of Inland Revenue, for the U.S. to attend a training course in investment under the auspices of the U.N. Technical Assistance Administration.

Mr. N. Rosenau, Assistant Director of Climatology and Station Networks in the Meteorological Service, for Iceland, under the U.N. Technical Assistance programme.

Former Bonds Official Indicted in New York

NEW YORK (Reuter).— Joseph Rafaeli, 57-year-old former director of the Israel Development Corporation, was indicted by a Bronx Grand Jury here yesterday for allegedly misappropriating the proceeds of Israel Bonds he cashed in for holders of the securities.

The indictment against Rafaeli, who was the Director of the Development Corporation for seven years until he was dismissed last July, involved $4,000 worth of Bonds.

Born in Jerusalem of American parents and educated in London, Rafaeli was employed in counter-espionage work in the United States Army in Germany in World War II. He spent 10 years serving in the Palestine and Philippines police services and the Shanghai international police.

Tel Aviv Mayor Visits Ill Soldiers

TEL AVIV. — Mayor Haim Levanon has visited hospitalized members of the Armoured Corps, which was adopted by this city. The mayor gave the soldiers a holiday gift from the Municipality — fruit, sweets and drinks. The mayor was invited to dinner in a camp of the Armoured Corps on the completion of his visit.

Pwllheli to Safad On Study Tour

Jerusalem Post Reporter

SAFAD. — The sole Jewish member of the Pwllheli, (Wales) municipal board, Mr. Y. Pollecoff, is at present here for a study tour of municipal administration. Pwllheli a township of 4,000, has had municipal status since 1350.

Mr. Pollecoff, an observant Jew, owns a chain of self-service stores and a farm. He arrived in Safad on the eve of Yom Kippur.

MURDER

(Continued from Page One)

off across the fields in an attempt to escape. Three members of the kibbutz, Amnon Yogev, Eliahu Gueta, and Moshe Kalderon, who were near the scene of the murder, at once jumped into a jeep and, armed with a Sten-gun, chased the fleeing men.

The jeep was impeded by the rough going across open country, but eventually the pursuers caught two of the Beduin boys, of about 12 and 17. A third Beduin, whom they shot and wounded, was also apprehended, while the fourth fugitive was captured after he had fired a single shot in the direction of the pursuers.

This man, believed to have been the one responsible for the actual killing, was apprehended on land belonging to the el Huzeil tribe, where he was attempting to bury the murder weapon.

The three kibbutz members, in an interview with our reporter, said that the suspected murderer at first told them that the slaying was in revenge for the murder of his brother. Later, however, he reportedly admitted that it was because el Fakir had run off with his wife.

The murder suspect, according to the settler, begged to be handed over to the police and not turned over to the members of the el Huzeil tribe.

The body of the victim was taken to the pathological institute at Abu Kebir, while members of the settlement handed the four captured Beduin over to the police. The wounded prisoner was taken to hospital.

Police later commended the three settlement members for their presence of mind in apprehending the suspects.

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Teachers Await Ministry's Decision

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The Independent Association of Secondary Schoolteachers is to summon a Council meeting in Tel Aviv next week to decide on future steps in support of salary improvements this year. The actual proposals the Executive will submit to the Council depend on the Ministry of Education's reply to the Association's query regarding the setting up of a study committee decided on by the Government a few weeks ago, Mr. Mordechai Cohen, Chairman of the Association told *The Jerusalem Post* on Tuesday.

(A Ministry spokesman declared on Tuesday that a reply would be given to the Association this week.)

The Association wanted information on the committee's composition and when it would be formed.

'Ready for Compromise'

The Cabinet had decided that the committee's investigation would apply to next year, but if the composition of the committee would be such as to ensure objectivity and be truly a *public* commission, the Association would "be ready to compromise" regarding this year's claims. Should the Ministry's reply be unsatisfactory, the Executive would propose that the teachers take drastic steps in the near future, including the possibility of resuming strike action, he said. He emphasized, however, that the Association looked forward to a clearing of the atmosphere.

The Council will also be asked to approve the election of Mr. Cohen as the Association's chairman, in place of Dr. Shaul Robinson who is shortly to take up a post with UNESCO abroad. Mr. Cohen is principal of the Cremieux Secondary School, Jerusalem.

Radiographers' Union Pressing Demands

TEL AVIV. — The National Union of Radiographers will consider taking "drastic steps" if its demands are not accepted by the Civil Service Commission, Mr. Pinhas Reigrotsky, member of the national secretariat of the Union, told the press here on Tuesday.

The Union, consisting of 300 X-ray technicians, is demanding: a new system of professional grading; a seniority scale covering a period of 15 years, as compared to 20 years in other professions, because, it is claimed, the life expectancy of people exposed to radio-activity in this field is five years less than normal; and that the "danger pay" they receive be made equivalent to 20 per cent of their gross salary, tax free, in view of the claim that the damage to health caused by radiation is cumulative.

Tsur Replaces Eytan During Burma Trip

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Mr. Ya'acov Tsur, Assistant Director-General of the Foreign Ministry, is to be acting Director-General of the Foreign Ministry, when Mr. Walter Eytan leaves next Monday to accompany the President on his State visit to Burma.

Mr. Tsur is now acting Director in charge of the Ministry's Western European and Latin American Divisions during the absence of Mr. Maurice Fischer. Mr. Fischer is to return tomorrow from a six week visit to Europe, where he attended the European Council in Strasbourg.

Mr. Tsur's appointment as Director-General is likely to take effect only after a new Government has been formed after the elections.

Pratt to Head Int'l Division in F.M.

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Mr. Simcha Pratt, outgoing Consul-General in New York, has been appointed director of the International Organizations Division in the Foreign Ministry. He replaces Mrs. Zena Harman, who has accompanied her husband to Washington where he is serving as Ambassador.

Mr. Pratt, who has served in the U.S. for the past four years, first as Consul-General in Chicago and since 1957 as Consul-General in New York, is to be replaced by Mr. Benyamin Eliav, of the Foreign Ministry's Research Department. The appointment is not likely to take effect before the end of the year, since Mr. Pratt is also a member of the Israel U.N. delegation.

Katchalski Named To Education Council

The President has appointed Prof. Ephraim Katchalski to the Council for Higher Education replacing Prof. Aharon Katzir, his brother. It was officially announced yesterday.

The appointment of Mr. Y. Tsur to the Council, replacing Mr. Avraham Harman, present Ambassador to Washington, was reported in *The Jerusalem Post* yesterday. The term of the present Council extends until November 1960.

KIBBUTZ GEVIM in the Northern Negev has exported over 1.2 million flower bulbs, worth $19,000, during the past year.



Members of the Scarlatti Symphony Orchestra of Naples' Radiotelevisione Italiana, pictured on their arrival at Lydda Airport yesterday aboard a special Alitalia airliner. The Orchestra will give its first performance in this country at the Mann Auditorium, Tel Aviv, on Wednesday.
Photo by Susskind

Uruguayan Leader Here on Visit

Jerusalem Post Reporter

"A nation that has sacrificed so many of its sons in the defence of its homeland has proved its right to its country and deserves the support of the entire world," Mr. Daniel Fernandez Crespo, the President of the Montevideo Departmental Council said on Tuesday. He made the statement on a visit to the military cemetery on Mount Herzl in Jerusalem.

Mr. Crespo arrived early Tuesday morning together with his wife for a 10-day



visit in Israel as guest of the Government. He is one of the leaders of the "Blancos" party which came to power last March after having been in in opposition for 93 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Crespo were received on Tuesday by the Jerusalem District Representative, Mr. S. B. Yeshaya, and the Director-General of the Ministry of the Interior, Mr. Y. Shvo.

Six Cypriot Mayors Expected Tomorrow

POST Political Reporter

The first high-ranking delegation from Cyprus, comprising Mayors of the island's six major towns, is to arrive in Israel tomorrow for a four-day visit as guests of the Government.

The Israel Consul-General in Nicosia, Mr. Ze'ev Levin, will accompany the delegation, which is to comprise Dr. Themistocles Dervis, of Nicosia; Mr. Costas Partassides, of Limassol; Mr. Andreas Pouyouros, of Famagusta; Mr. George Christodoulides, of Larnaca; Mr. Charilaos Demetriades, of Kyrenia; Mr. Jacovos Jacovides, of Paphos, and Mr. G.A. Coutas, Town Clerk of Nicosia.

Canadian M.P.'s Due On Official Visit

A nine-member parliamentary delegation from Canada is due here for a week's visit as a guest of the Knesset on November 19, it was officially announced in Jerusalem on Tuesday. The delegation is to stop over in Israel on its way back from the Commonwealth Parliamentary Conference in Australia.

Heading the delegation will be Mr. R. Michener, Speaker of the House of Commons.

The visit to Israel of the high-level delegation, which is the first of its kind from Canada to visit here is expected to bring about a wider understanding between the two countries on Middle Eastern problems, it was said.

FOXY. — Six foxhounds were electrocuted on Monday when the fox led them across an electric railway track at Bracknell, England. The Fox jumped safely across the track and escaped unharmed.

Chad Delegation Sees Capital

"We have come to learn from your accomplishments, because Israel is an outstanding example to the entire world," Prime Minister Francois Tombalbaye declared on Tuesday during his visit at the head of the Chad Governmental delegation to the Knesset building.

The Prime Minister told his Israel hosts that he and the other members of his delegation "felt at home" in Israel and especially in Jerusalem, which was the "fount of Christian culture."

The delegation was received by the Speaker, Mr. Nahum Nir, and by the Deputy Speakers. In the course of the meeting, Mr. Nir told his opposite number in the Chad delegation, M. Maurice Allahou Taher of the Chad Parliament, that he was living proof that a Speaker of Parliament could be a 25-year-old instead of a septuagenarian, as was the case in Israel.

On Tuesday, the members of the delegation were received by Foreign Minister Golda Meir in her office in Jerusalem.

In addition to the Prime Minister and the Speaker of Parliament, the delegation which visited the Knesset consisted of two members of the Chad Parliament, Messrs. Andre Vazel and Alphonse Modjinbang. They were accompanied by the French Chargé d'Affaires, M. Raymond Vizzanova. They were greeted at the entrance to the Knesset by an honour guard of the Knesset Guards and by the police band which played the Israel and French Union anthems. A crowd of Jerusalem citizens greeted their arrival with applause.

Rising to answer Mr. Nir's greeting, Mr. Taher said that Chad was a "young and poor country" and hoped to learn from Israel's example how to raise her citizen's standard of living.

Following the visit to the Knesset, the visitors were the luncheon guests of the Knesset Speaker.

Among those present at the luncheon in addition to the guests of honour were the Knesset Speaker and Deputy Speakers: the Knesset Sergeant-at-Arms, Mr. M. Hatsor; the Knesset Clerk, Mr. M. Rosetti; the Assistant Director-General of the Foreign Ministry, Mr. Ya'acov Tsur; the acting Chief of Protocol, Mr. Avraham Gilboa and the Director of the Asia-Africa Division of the Foreign Ministry, Mr. Elyashiv Ben-Horin.

The other members of the delegation were in the meantime making visits connected with their special fields of interest. The Chad Minister of Public Works, Mr. Tura Gaba, accompanied by Mr. Jean Chabert of his Ministry, was the luncheon guest of the Minister of Labour, Mr. Mordecai Namir at his home. Senior officials of the Ministry of Labour were also present.

Three other members of the delegation — the Minister of Agriculture, Mr. Thomas Jeiro, accompanied by Messrs. Jean Renard and Mark Dumas, was the guest of the Ministry of Agriculture. During the morning they met with Ministry experts and senior officials and at noon, were the luncheon guests of the Minister of Agriculture, Mr. Kadish Luz, at the Mikve Israel Agricultural School.

On Tuesday evening, the members of the delegation who were in Jerusalem were greeted by the members of the Jerusalem Municipal Executive who had come to make a courtesy visit at the King David Hotel where the guests are staying.

In the evening, the delegation met with senior officials of the Ministries of Foreign Affairs, Finance and of Commerce and Industry.

Sharett, Eban Address Arab Election Rallies

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Two of Mapai's leading candidates, Mr. Moshe Sharett and Mr. Abba Eban, addressed Arab and Druse audiences in Tayibeh and Shfaram, respectively, in Arabic, on Tuesday evening.

Former Prime Minister Sharett, who is known for his linguistic virtuosity, spoke to a large audience made up of the townsmen of Shfaram and of villagers from localities throughout Lower Galilee and the Carmel areas. With him on the platform was the Druse candidate for the Knesset, Sheikh Labib abu Rukun.

Mr. Sharett told his listeners that Mapai had carried out what it had promised to the minorities. He said that there had been a great improvement in the condition of the minorities especially in the fields of social welfare, education and agricultural development. He concluded by hoping that good relations between the peoples in Israel would continue and thereby guarantee additional progress in these and in other fields.

Speaking at Tayibeh, Mr. Eban expressed the hope that "today's citizens of Israel would become tomorrow's citizens of the Middle East."

On the platform with him was Mr. Mahmoud el-Nashf, a candidate for the Knesset.

THREE TEEN-AGE boys were detained on Monday while allegedly trying to break into a cafe in the Tamar Passage in Tel Aviv.

$ 3m. Loan for J'lem From Foreign Investors

A group of European investors has agreed to give the Jerusalem Municipality a $3m. loan on condition that "Mayor Gershon Agron implement the allocation of the funds," the Municipality announced on Tuesday. This is stressed in the protocol of the discussions which were signed in Zurich.

The loan, for 25 years, has been approved by a Finance Ministry representative who participated in the negotiations. The Ministry has also approved the interest rate. A representative of a Jerusalem financial institution signed the agreement in the name of the Municipality.

It was said that the agreement will be brought before the city's Finance Committee and Council in due course.

Police Post Opened At Massada

BEERSHEBA. — A police post was opened on Tuesday at Massada, overlooking the Dead Sea, First Inspector Avraham Sastiel said here yesterday.

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Work Starts On New Hula Channel

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TIBERIAS. — Work on excavating a new drainage channel in the demilitarized zone of the Hula valley began yesterday after J.N.F. surveyors had completed their marking out of the canal. The operations, which continued until dark, were watched by a U.N. observer and the Israel delegate to the Israel-Syrian Mixed Armistice Commission.

In a parallel operation further south, other teams measured the depth of the Jordan River along the 4.5 kms. stretch from the Khoury citrus grove to the B'not Ya'acov bridge.

This stretch of the river was deepened to six metres in 1951, but this has been found to be insufficient to carry the flow of rainwater south. It has now been decided to deepen it to 12 metres and rock and silt must first be cleared from the river bed.

Now Tel Aviv Wants Subway

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The Municipality is actively looking into the possibilities of building a subway at an estimated cost of IL130m.—IL140m., the Deputy Mayor, Mr. A. Schechterman, told the Press yesterday.

He reported that the Municipality has been in contact with a French engineering firm which is now building the Peking subway. The firm has expressed its willingness to carry out a survey in Tel Aviv and submit a proposal, he said.

The only way the large sums needed can be raised, he said, was to give a concession to a foreign company. Traffic accidents in Tel Aviv have increased because of a lack of asphalted roads, he said. To surface all the roads in this way would cost IL40m. and "we shall soon have no choice but to put a large part of the city's traffic underground."

He said that the Egged and Dan bus cooperatives had expressed their willingness to join a company to build a subway.

Policemen Know Best, Court Finds

TEL AVIV. — The Tel Aviv District Court on Tuesday upheld a lower court's verdict fining a Dan busdriver for not stopping to let off a traffic policeman who wanted to unsnarl a traffic jam.

The lower court found that the driver, Yerahmiel Livneh, had not acted correctly in refusing to stop to let the policeman off on the grounds that he was not permitted to stop in the middle of traffic. The court found that the policeman's judgment as to when he was needed in a special emergency took precedence over the driver's interpretation of traffic regulations. The driver was fined IL50. *(Itim)*

THE JERUSALEM Municipality, in cooperation with Hovevei Yerushalayim, is again selling asbestos flower boxes at reduced prices. The boxes are delivered to the door. Orders are taken at the main Municipal building and near the Knesset on Wednesday from 3.30-6 p.m.; on Thursday from 9 to 2 p.m. and from 3.30 to 6 p.m.; and on Friday from 9 to 12 noon.

Armed Jordanians Steal Beduin Flocks

Jerusalem Post Reporter

BEERSHEBA. — Armed infiltrators from Jordan on Tuesday afternoon stole a considerable number of sheep and camels from an Israel Beduin tribe in the eastern Negev.

No further details were immediately available last night, but it is learned that the Israel-Jordan Mixed Armistice Commission has been informed and police trackers are expected to go out to the tribe's encampment this morning in an attempt to follow the trail.

Two Returned From Jordanian Detention

Two Israel residents were returned to Israel by Jordanian authorities on Tuesday after being detained for several months.

Avraham Hayat, 30, said that he was captured by a Jordanian soldier while he was walking near the border in the southern part of Jerusalem.

The second person to be returned was Edouard Plishinsky, 18, who crossed the border near the Sheikh Jarrah quarter in the north of Jerusalem. He was under probation at the time on a suspicion of having had sexual relations with a 12-year-old girl.

The Hard Road To Israel

The difficulties they met in getting from Jordan to Israel were related on Monday by an American couple, Mr. and Mrs. John Shami, who crossed over through Mandelbaum Gate to visit Mr. Shami's birthplace in Kafr Kama, a Druse village, near Tiberias.

All their troubles started when the Jordanian authorities saw the name "Israel" in the place reserved for "country of birth" in Mr. Shami's American passport, he said. It took days for Mr. Shami to get through to the Jordanian officials with the explanation that he was actually born in Palestine in 1921, but had emigrated to America years ago. American passport officials knew only that Kfar Kama was an Israel territory and marked the passport accordingly. *(Itim)*

Afro-Asian Students Begin 3-Day Seminar

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Students and trainees from Burma, Cyprus, Ghana, Ethiopia, India, Japan, Liberia, Mexico and Nigeria were among a group of some 50 who gathered at the Hebrew University on Tuesday for a three-day seminar on general topics connected with life in Israel.

After an introductory lecture by Mr. H. Aynor, Director of the Foreign Ministry's newly-created Department for International Cooperation and Assistance, the group toured Jerusalem's historical sites. In the evening, Mr. Ya'acov Tsur, Assistant Director-General of the Foreign Ministry, lectured on "The Jewish People and the State of Israel".

The largest contingent at the seminar is the group of Burmese ex-officers and servicemen who are here for a one-year training period to equip them to form the nucleus of cooperative agricultural projects. Ten Ghanaians studying agricultural cooperation form the second largest group.

Be Active, Women Told At Founding of Voters' League

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — "Women should assume their rightful place in the country's political life. They hold 50 per cent of the votes, but often blindly follow their husband's lead. This was the theme of speakers at the founding meeting of the League of Women Voters at the Ruth hall here on Tuesday.

The call to women "to arouse themselves from their political apathy" was sounded by the chairman of the rally, Mrs. Y. Avidar. The immediate aim of the League is to bring about electoral reform in order to achieve stable government.

The audience of 400 women who crowded the hall were told by Professor Yigal Yadin: "Whatever means you adapt, please don't follow the example of "Lysistrata"; it failed both on the stage, at the Habimah, and in history."

The 24 members of the founding committee of the League include Shoshana Eban, Hanna Bergman, Ruth Dayan, Rachel Huebner, Tzila Lurie, Rahel Limon, Ora Makleff, Herzla Ron, and Professor Rachel Shalom.

Mrs. Avidor stressed that the aim of the League, at this stage, was "to reduce the frightening plethora of party symbols on the election posters" and to bring about direct contact between the voter and his Knesset Member.

New Role Seen For Histadrut Appeal

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The Histadrut Appeal in the U.S. will have to take on a new form, combining fund-raising with educational work, Mr. Pinhas Lavon, Secretary-General of the Histadrut, said here on Tuesday.

He was reporting to the Histadrut Central Committee on his recent trip to the U.S., where he was invited to address the A.F.L.-C.I.O. convention in San Francisco.

"The Labour Federation, he added, would have to send abroad emissaries who not only knew how to present the Histadrut as a trade union movement, but as the representative of a new way of life.

Referring to his meetings with U.S. trade union leaders, Mr. Lavon added: "Israel has a true and faithful friend in the American labour movement." The latter, he had gathered during his trip, was planning to adopt a more active political role, in addition to its purely trade union functions.

Balfour Day for Hancock Credentials

POST Political Reporter

The British Ambassador-designate, Mr. Patrick Francis Hancock, is to present his letters of credence to President Ben-Zvi on November 2, the anniversary of the Balfour Declaration, it is learned in Jerusalem.

The Ambassador is due in Israel next week and it is understood that he has expressed the wish to be accredited to the present Government. As President Ben-Zvi will be away on his State visit to Burma immediately following Mr. Hancock's arrival, the only possible date for the accreditation ceremony remained November 2, a day after the President's return from Burma and one day before the elections.

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Democracy Flourishes in Gaullist France

Prophets of Woe Confounded as 5th Republic Celebrates First Anniversary

By ISRAEL NEUMANN
Jerusalem Post Correspondent

PARIS. — A YEAR has passed since the Fifth Republic became a reality with the promulgation of its Constitution, on October 4, 1958. A year may be too short a period to evaluate fully the advantages and the deficiencies of a system, but the stability of French political life has already been amply demonstrated. Those who feared or hoped that France would fall under a dictatorship, under the virtual rule of a virulent coalition of the extreme Right and a clique of army officers, have to admit that they were vastly mistaken. They misjudged the Head of State, who refused to play the role assigned to him by certain forces which participated in the *coup d'état* of May, 1958. The man who saved France's honour in 1940, 18 years later rescued the quintessence of French democracy, after the failure of the Fourth Republic to meet firmly a small but relatively powerful group of would-be destroyers of democracy.

The "ultras" who are opposed to President de Gaulle's liberal policy for Algeria and who call upon the nation to "resist the illegal programme of de Gaulle if need be by illegal means," are activated less by the fear of a peace settlement in Algeria than by their hatred of the man who "stole" from them "their" authoritarian revolution and preserved the essential freedoms.

It would be an exaggeration to describe the Fifth Republic as an ideal, model democracy. The Constitution promulgated a year ago gave such wide powers to the President that a man of lesser stature might well have abused them to establish a dictatorship. As things stand, de Gaulle is free to make important decisions without consulting the National Assembly or even the Government, whose 22 members are, for the most part, either senior civil servants or experts attached, but not wholly tied to political parties. But if the President reserves to himself the right to decide major questions alone, he stands vigilant, even in face of opposition from his Ministers, in defence of the freedoms which are vital to democracy.

If a French Rip Van Winkle had fallen asleep a year ago, he would doubtless be surprised upon awakening today to find that, as far as the freedom of the press is concerned, things have even improved since the days of the Fourth Republic. During the last months of the Fourth Republic, the seizure of newspapers was a rather frequent occurrence; today this practice has been abolished, thanks to the personal intervention of the President. In any Paris kiosk you are free to buy any newspaper you wish, the choice offered to you being so wide that it is positively embarrassing. Among the dailies you have all shades from the Communist, "L'Humanité," to the extreme right "Aurore;" among the weeklies you find the Communist, "France Nouvelle," and the fascist, "Rivarol," with all possible variations in between. "L'Express," which now serves as the mouthpiece of the Autonomous Socialists, a party in outright opposition to President de Gaulle, is still the greatest French political weekly, free to criticize the Government's policy in all fields. There is one limitation to this freedom: it is forbidden to go too far in its aspersions on the army and the repressive methods used by the military in Algeria. Journalists who condone the refusal of some youngsters to serve in North Africa are liable to be hauled up in court.

What perhaps surprises the foreign observer most is not the formal freedom of the press, but the prevailing spirit of tolerance. It is known that de Gaulle himself asked M. Michel Debré to discontinue the use of the term "anti-France" in his reference to the extreme Left; the President may dislike the Communists, but for him they, too, constitute an integral part of the nation. And it is unlikely that there is anywhere else in the world a leader who, while enjoying such wide prerogatives as de Gaulle does, allows a paper to heap so much ridicule, in word and caricature, as the weekly Parisian "Le Canard Enchaîné" brilliantly does upon the Head of State. "Le Canard Enchaîné" is indeed, involuntarily, the best proof of de Gaulle's greatness.

The spirit of tolerance, which characterizes de Gaulle, has its influence on the French public. There were times when the readers of certain newspapers in public places or the Metro were in danger of being molested; today one may often see even a man wearing a uniform reading publicly an opposition newspaper.



A striking French architectural innovation is the erection of a "coiled snake" block of flats, 560 metres long and housing 1,500 people, in the North Paris suburb of Bobigny. Express Photo

When one of the leaders of the Autonomous Socialists recently visited a Scandinavian capital he was invited to dinner at the French Ambassador's house. During the dinner the Ambassador told him where he could buy French dailies on sale in that city, giving him the address of the kiosk selling "Le Figaro" and the one where "L'Humanité" was on sale. Small matters like this are perhaps more characteristic of the spirit prevailing in France itself than political declarations that catch the headlines.

After de Gaulle

It would be quite wrong, however, to deduce from the foregoing that democracy in France is wholly out of danger. General de Gaulle is only a human being and should he disappear one day, French democracy would face a grave crisis. The Constitution of the Fifth Republic was tailored, so to speak, to his measure, and the great majority of Frenchmen still seem convinced that it will not outlast him. "What will happen after de Gaulle?" — this question remains the main long-term preoccupation among people of all views.

The question France had to answer a year ago was: "Are you for or against de Gaulle?" When the National Assembly convened this week it found that the situation had greatly changed, and the question dividing the French nation has now become: "Are you for Algerian self-determination or against it?" In spite of the law of inertia, a slow but clear re-alignment of political forces is taking place, which may become even more far-reaching if tomorrow the Deputies representing the nation are obliged to answer the question: "Are you for or against peace negotiations in Algeria?" When that moment arrives the Right will become still more divided, with the Left still partially lost in Byzantine controversy.

YESTERDAY'S PRESS

Shofar Politics

Herut notes with chagrin that the Shofar was always sounded at the Wailing Wall at the close of the Yom Kippur services, through thick and thin, despite the attendant bans and dangers. The anomaly is that ever since the State was founded, this practice has fallen into disuse. The paper blames Mapai, which not only does not care about this, but even considers those who advocate a State of Israel in its *complete* homeland as madmen.

Ha'aretz (non-party) deplores Cantor Leib Glantz's calculated omission of the names of Rabbi Kook and Jabotinsky from the "Yizkor" service at the Tel Aviv Tiferet Zvi synagogue on Yom Kippur, despite the express unanimous decision of the synagogue committee, adding that party politics should not be injected into the House of Prayer.

Ma'ariv writes that we owe it to our butchered brethren, to history, and to ourselves to make the monster Eichmann tell the world of the terror of the destruction and then to pay with his blood for the blood spilled at his command.

Hatzofe (National Religious) demands that the archmonster, Eichmann, who was personally responsible for the murder of six million Jews, be handed over to Jewish judges as a test of the conscience of mankind.

Davar (Histadrut) meditates on the express desire of Israel Labour's opponents to liquidate the labour economy—on economic grounds. How hypocritical of the "poor" General Zionists and Herut to come to the voter with nothing but ideology to offer in face of a solid and wealthy labour movement. But what about the prodigious backing given them by the private companies? What will tip the scales this time, as ever, is not material wealth, but Labour's record of devotion, responsibility and progress.

Al Hamishmar (Mapam) is scandalized by Mr. Ben-Gurion's statement at Lydda last week that "we are ready for peace with the Arabs, but they are not ready for it and will not be ready until they have learned the lesson of the War of Liberation and the Sinai campaign."

All Roads Lead To...: Allenby Rd.—Even in Europe

By PAUL KOHN

LONDON. — I HAD settled down comfortably, the only passenger on the mid-day Sabena helicopter from Brussels to Paris. The rotor had started to spin when a young couple fought their way through the whirlwind and threw their bags and themselves into the compartment.

"Moshe, what about our suitcases? Are you sure they are alright? Can't you check up with the pilot?" the young woman began in Hebrew. I hid behind the "Daily Telegraph." After the agitation of nearly missing the flight had passed, the object of discussion became their co-passenger.

She: We are travelling with an Italian.

He: Why Italian? Probably French or Belgian.

She: He is reading an English newspaper; he must be an Englishman.

After three quarters of an hour, during a lull, I asked politely in Hebrew if they had finished discussing me, which turned the young lady to the colour of a beetroot.

This occurrence is not unusual. It is still a wide, wide world, but for Israelis travelling about it seems a very small one. Bumping into Israelis in Europe has become as common an occurrence as drinking coffee, and not necessarily at Cafe Select in Montparnasse or Beau Brummel in London's Swiss Cottage, at which establishments the French and English waiters speak beginner's Hebrew.

According to travel agents the "Israel highways" of travel in Europe are the Rome - Paris - London and Switzerland-Germany routes. Main "side roads" taken are to Spain, Austria, the Netherlands and Greece. Yet it is only short odds against hearing Hebrew anywhere off the beaten track from Bergen to Belgrade, Mykonos to Maidenhead. Thirty thousand Israelis have travelled abroad so far this year.

The first time I was spotted was a few hours after leaving Tel Aviv, when checking in at the Metropol Hotel in Brussels. "Shalom," an American said. The passport had given me away. They were three Americans who had visited Israel, and were on their way to Moscow.

Outside the main Copenhagen synagogue, an American tourist sadly informed me that she had applied for a job on *The Post* and was sent by the editor to cover a story of the Friday night synagogue tour in Jerusalem. She met Israel rather than hand in her story, but she now claims an expert knowledge of Jerusalem's synagogues. "I'll be back," she promised.

Copenhagen Shock

The man I last expected or cared to meet in Copenhagen was my Reserves' sergeant-major, Dan. But there, he screeched his Opel limousine to a halt, and gave me a cheery "Shalom," in tones not at all like those he uses on windy Galilee mountaintops. He had been a para-trooper and well-known character of the Sinai campaign, but now together with his buddy, Avshalom, of Hadera, they had driven their second-hand car to the north of Norway.

Two weeks later, I met them again in a crowd of 55,000 at the Fulham football ground in London. "We are continuing to France, Spain, the Riviera and in Europe, until we run out of money. Then we'll sell the car and return home. You are only young once in a lifetime," was their philosophy.

Immediately after arrival in Paris, I met Bella Almog, of the Tel Aviv women's weekly, "Olam Ha'Isha," and her husband. "Where are you staying?" "At the Hotel Stella, near L'Etoile." "So are we."

Four days later, at a quiet Hampstead boarding house, I met Bella again on the stairs.

I watched the author of "The King of Flesh and Blood" pace the Champs Elysees, and two days later, at half-past midnight, run up and down testing the London Underground escalators in Baker Street.

Shalom, Shalom!

Within three minutes of one another, one night in Kensington High Street, I was engaged in conversation by David Niv, the former boss of the 10th Anniversary Committee; a Kassit habitue who is now working as a private Hebrew tutor here; and Herbert Najman, owner of the Topaz accessories shop in Rehov Dizengoff.

Is it really as easy to spot Israelis in Europe and Britain as American tourists in Tel Aviv? A friend and I put it to the test in Picadilly Circus. We soon spotted two "possibles," and walked past them pronouncing in Hebrew, "Look, two Tel Avivians." One of the young women turned round and said, "*Lo nachon.* We are from Binyamina."

By this time we were saying *shalom* to the Israel acquaintances we passed in the street as if we were all in Allenby Road.

AT THE CINEMA

Tales from Pushkin

Tempest (Ophir, T.A.—second week) is based on two stories by Alexander Pushkin: "The Captain's Daughter" and "The Revolt of Pugachov." It is one of those international pictures, with a mixed American, Italian and Yugoslav cast, which have become quite common recently. The director is Albert Lattuada but the dialogue is in English.

The period is that of Catherine the Great (Viveca Lindfors) and the story concerns Ensign Peter Grinie (Geoffrey Horne) whom Catherine has exiled to a remote outpost for being drunk on duty. En route he saves the life of a half-frozen peasant who later proves to be Pugachov, leader of the serfs revolt and self-styled Peter the Third of Russia, played by Van Heflin, muffled up to the ears in beard and heavy clothing. Ensign Peter falls in love with Masha (Silvana Mangano), daughter of Captain Mironov (Robert Keith), commander of the outpost, who is also desired by lieutenant Swabrin (Helmut Dantine). The Cossacks, headed by Pugachov, attack and capture the outpost and thenceforward there is action apienty and a great deal of hammy acting.

The battle scenes — in fact all the crowd scenes — are extremely well handled and the colour-photography is very good throughout, and although none of the characters really comes to life, the picture manages to hold attention. The last scenes, when Catherine confronts Pugachov in prison, are particularly well done.

Cooper Shoots Again

The Hanging Tree (Orion, T.A.—second week) is a Western set in a Montana mining camp at the turn of the century, with Gary Cooper as old Doc Frail, who shoots them with one hand and cures them with the other. When Elizabeth (Maria Schell) is precipitated into the town after her stage coach has been wrecked, her father killed and she herself exposed to two days and nights of burning sun and bitter cold so that she has become temporarily blind, we all know there is plenty of trouble ahead. Living in the Doc's house, as a sort of Man Friday, is Rune (Ben Piazza) and it is rather surprising that he does not catch Elizabeth's fancy. Comic relief is provided by Karl Malden as Frenchy who always shows himself a capable actor. I left the cinema with the feeling that it is really time that Mr. Cooper stopped playing with pistols, but most of the audience seemed to have had a very good time. *S.W.*

Spy Thriller

WHEN you have reoriented yourself to see World War II more or less through enemy eyes and accept the proposition that German intelligence broke the communication code used by the British and the Dutch Resistance Movement, thereby trapping many of the latter and bringing about the disaster at Arnheim, you will find the French-dubbed, Italian **London Calling North Pole** (Orah, Haifa) an exciting spy story. The film depicts the laying of the trap by the sending of false information, which builds up an intricate pattern that makes it almost impossible to penetrate the truth behind the barriers of occupied territory. Indeed, if Curd Jurgens, the brain of German Intelligence, had not mixed his work with a philosophical ambition to save human lives and had not been so sentimental over a British agent, played by Dawn Addams, it is hard to say how this film could have ended except through the ending of the War. The third lead is played by Folco Lulli, the Dutch Resistance leader who turns traitor to save his brother's life. Lulli is a good straight actor who, at least whenever I see him, is inevitably cast for the decent man who is a victim of his emotional honesty. A colour film, "London Calling North Pole" is tautly dramatic, colourful in its scenes of Amsterdam and Barcelona, and quite thrilling. *H.*

Readers' Letters

UTILITY VOTE

Editor, The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — Should one really always elect just that party which is nearest to one's heart? I doubt it.

If we are convinced that the greatest danger to our country would be a victory for Mr. Begin, then we must conclude that we have to elect the biggest party opposed to him, though we may nourish stronger sympathies for one of the smaller parties of the centre or the left — as is the case with me, actually.

The strongest party has to produce the Prime Minister, as I understand, and he is trusted to form a coalition cabinet. Thus every split vote we may give for one of the smaller — though preferred—parties would be lost for the main purpose of saving the democracy and would indeed help Mr. Begin mount the horse.

Yours, etc.,
F. GOLDSCHMIDT

October.

PRAYER BOOKS

Editor, The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — It is most encouraging to know that 80,000 tourists are to visit Israel during 1959. No doubt much is being done to make their stay a worthwhile experience. However, for the past few years I have been aware of an oversight which could easily be remedied and result in winning favourable reaction.

A good number of American tourists especially come for *Rosh Hashana* or one of the major High Holidays. The highlight of a stay in Jerusalem during a High Holiday is to attend services, but the disappointment and frustration suffered as a result of not finding prayer books is really very great. The American synagogue, as a rule, supplies not only the prayer-book and Bible on *Shabbat*, but every worshipper is handed a Festival Prayer Book on *Pessah*, *Shavuot* and *Succot*. None of the visitors is informed in advance about the absence of such a service here.

In short, I should like to suggest that not only should every visitor be reminded about the need to bring a prayer-book but that such prayer-books (with English translation) be made available at the Government Tourist Office as well. Before the High Holidays, they should be on sale at synagogues, too.

ZIPPORAH F. ASHBEL
Jerusalem, October 5.

NOISE ABATEMENT

Editor, The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — With regard to Dr. Grunwald's letter requesting anti-noise regulations (your issue of August 7) I should like to point out that there is no need to pass additional measures, since the Traffic Regulations-1953 state, *inter alia*:

Regulation No. 22:

a) No person shall drive a vehicle which emits unusual noise, the source of which lies in some defect of the vehicle, or neglect in the care of the vehicle or any part of it, or faulty loading arrangements.

b) No person shall cause noise by a vehicle on a municipal roadway, other than that caused by its proper operation.

Regulation No. 52 limits the use of the horn on a city road; it may be used only to giving warning to avert an accident which cannot be averted in any other way.

Moreover, it should be pointed out that in the traffic licensing regulations which are to be published shortly further instructions are laid down for the installation of equipment in vehicles to prevent excessive noise.

Yours, etc.,
N. NEVO
Public Relations Officer
Ministry of Transport
Jerusalem, September.

MUSICAL DIARY

Harp Echoes

MISS Phia Berghout, who was one of the judges in the recent First International Harp Competition in Jerusalem, told the press on her arrival at Schipol Airphort (Amsterdam) that the event had surpassed her boldest expectations.

"The standard of the participants was extremely high," she declared, "it was a pleasant surprise for all members of the panel, both from the point of technique and of musical interpretation. The organization of the Festival, by Mr. Propes, also deserves the highest praise."

Miss Berghout said that the winner of the First Prize, the 19-year-old Italian harpist Suzanna Mildonian, will shortly, come to Holland with her mother. On October 17 she will play Handel's Harp Concerto with the Amsterdam "Concertgebouw" Orchestra, Holland's foremost symphony orchestra. She will also give a radio performance. Suzanna Mildonian, Miss Berghout added, possesses quite extraordinary talent. When she plays the harp it is like the singing of a bird. At the competition her technique was perfect and her musicality amazing.

Miss Berghout will try to establish a Dutch organization of harpists as a preliminary to the establishment of an International Harpists Organization in Jerusalem.

The veteran Dutch harpist, Miss Rosa Spier, who was an honorary member of the panel and who is staying on in Israel for some time, told the Israel correspondent of the Dutch newspaper "Het Vaderland" that actually she was glad that she was only an honorary member of the panel, and was thus not required to express her impressions in marks. "The majority of the participants played in such an excellent manner that it would have been difficult to choose between them. The entire Festival, for that matter, was unforgettable. Israel must be warmly thanked for its initiative in holding a harp competition; nobody had ever realized before how wonderful an international harp contest could be. This first Festival will undoubtedly serve as a strong stimulus for harp playing throughout the world, both as regards composers and executive musicians," Miss Spier added.

HENRIETTE BOAS

Young Pianists

ORA Rottem, the Jerusalem pianist, has taken up her studies with Mrs. Ilona Kabos in London on an America-Israel Cultural Foundation Scholarship. She has also enrolled at the Alexander Foundation, an institute teaching the right use of the body in a system used among others by the late Henrietta Michelson.

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THE 15-year-old pianist Ruth Miron, daughter of composer I. Miron-Michrovsky, another winner of an AICF scholarship, has been accepted as a pupil by Prof. Eduard Steuermann after passing examinations at the Julliard College of Music in New York which won her a full scholarship for her studies. She also appeared as soloist in Beethoven's Concerto No. 2 with a symphony orchestra in Concord. *N.H.*

AS a by-product of the International Harp Contest, some wider audiences made the acquaintance with the harp as a solo instrument. Kibbutz Netzer Sereni enjoyed a concert given by Sonya Devora Kahn, who has in the meantime joined the Kol Yisrael Orchestra as solo harpist, whilst the initiative of music teacher, Miriam Gross-Levin, resulted in a demonstration and recital by Robert Barlow of the Eastman School of Music in Rochester — another participant in the Contest — at Tel Aviv's Tikhon Hadash school before 500 pupils.

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